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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EAIR, MA, RU
SUBJECT: CERP 0002: CIVAIR: AEROFLOT SERVICE TO MADAGASCAR

REF: A) ANTANANARIVO 450 (NOTAL) B) ANTANANARIVO 491 (NOTAL)
C) ANTANANARIVO 537 D) ANTANANARIVO 984

1. SUMMARY. AEROFLOT ANTANANARIVO/MOSCOW SERVICE BEGAN JULY 13 WITH THE INAUGURAL TU-154B FLIGHT TO MOSCOW. END SUMMARY.

2. WHILE EARLIER REPORTS HAD SET JUNE 1ST AND LATER, JUNE 7, AS THE DATE FOR THE INAUGURATION OF AEROFLOT SERVICE, THE FIRST FLIGHT ACTUALLY TOOK PLACE JULY 13. THE TU-154B LEFT ANTANANARIVO WITH OFFICIAL MADAGASCAR PARTY OF 18 LED BY CSR (SUPREME REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL) MEMBER MAX MARSON. ALSO CONTRARY TO PREVIOUS REPORTS. ATHENS APPARENTLY HAS BEEN DELETED FROM THE ITINERARY. MOGADISCIO AND CAIRO
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ARE LISTED AS TECHNICAL STOPS ONLY, CONFIRMING EARLIER INFORMATION WE HAD RECEIVED THAT AEROFLOT WILL ENJOY PASSENGER RIGHTS ONLY BETWEEN ANTANANARIVO AND MOSCOW. WE ARE UNAWARE WHETHER PASSENGER RIGHTS HAVE BEEN GRANTED BETWEEN EITHER OF THE TWO INTERMEDIATE POINTS AND MOSCOW.

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3. TIME-TABLE PUBLISHED AS ADVERTISEMENT IN "MADAGAS-
CAR MATIN" LISTS SOUTHWARD FLIGHT AS SU-451 DEPARTING
MOSCOW 1710 TUESDAY, ARRIVING IN ANTANANARIVO 1110
WEDNESDAYS. NORTHWARD FLIGHT IS SU-452 DEPARTING
ANTANANARIVO 1235 WEDNESDAYS, ARRIVING MOSCOW 0330,
THURSDAYS. PRESS REPORT LISTS FLIGHT CREW OF FOUR
AS TWO PILOTS, AN ENGINEER, AND A NAVIGATOR. BARRETT

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